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Applicant: Coccaro et al.  
Serial No.: 09/955,894  
Filed: September 19, 2001  
For: METHOD FOR PURCHASING CONSUMER PRODUCTS  
Group: 3727  
Examiner: Jeffery A. Shapiro  
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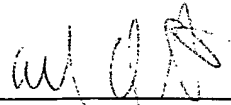
Applicants herein submit that all information concerning the derivation of the mathematical formula described in the specification has been supplied to the Examiner and that the response filed by Applicants on 17 November 2003 was made in compliance with 37 CFR §1.105.

Applicants, therefore, submit that the information required by the Examiner is unknown (37 CFR §1.105(3)). Again, Applicants, in order to best described the invention, used

the mathematical formula to facilitate an understanding of the features of the invention.  
No additional information exists.

In the event any questions remain, the Examiner is kindly invited to contact Applicants undersigned counsel.

Respectfully submitted,



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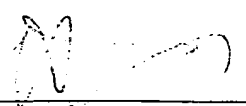
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